

TESTING THE NATURE OF DARK MATTER IN GALAXIES

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Outline

Dark Matter is the main protagonist in the Universe







Dark Matter in Galaxies









OLD PHENOMENON NEW PARADIGM



The Realm of Galaxies

The range of galaxies in magnitudes, types and central surface densities : 15 mag, 4 types, 16 mag arsec⁻²



Central surface brightness vs galaxy magnitude

What is Dark Matter ?

The radial profile of the gravitating matter M(r) does not match that of the luminous component $M_L(r)$.

A **MASSIVE DARK COMPONENT** M_H(r) is introduced :



M(r), $M_{l}(r)$, dlog $M_{l}(r)$ /dlog r **observed**

The DM phenomenon can be investigated only if we **accurately** meausure the distribution of: Luminous matter $M_L(r)$ and Gravitating matter M(r)

N-BODY LCDM SIMULATIONS a conspiracy theory



ACDM Dark Matter Density Profiles

The density of virialized DM halos of any mass described at all times by an Universal profile (Navarro+96, 97).

$$\rho_{NFW}(r) = \delta \rho_c \frac{r_s}{r} \frac{1}{(1 + r/r_s)^2}$$

$$c = \frac{R_{vir}}{r_s}$$
Concentration

halo size
$$R_{vir} = 260 \left(\frac{M_{vir}}{10^{12} M_{\odot}}\right)^{1/3} kpc$$

$$c(M_{vir}) = 9.35 \, \left(rac{M_{vir}}{10^{12} \, M_{\odot}}
ight)^{-0.09}$$
 Klypin, 2010



Annalen der Physik, October 1, 2012

Dark matter and cosmic structure

Carlos S. Frenk^{1,*} and Simon D. M. White²

We review the current standard model for the evolution of cosmic structure, tracing its development over the last forty years and focussing specifically on the role played by numerical simulations and on aspects related to the nature of dark matter. of the landmark developments that have driven this remarkable story.

2 Prehistory

In 1933 Zwicky published unambiguous evidence for dark matter in the Coma galaxy cluster [1]; in 1939 Babcock's

Can Dirty Physics, GastroPhysics, Complex Physics change it all? We observe baryons... Marinacci et al +13

Disc galaxies in moving-mesh cosmological simulations 21





A very active and versatile field of research many hints to follow up, many promising experiments



WIMP signals from very large number of very dense subhalos

To resolve the DM phenomenon with a cold particle has failed. Let's now, instead hear what such a phenomenon has to reveal.

SPIRALS

Primary crime scenes of the Dark Sector activities





Large gaseus disks





HI surface densities Extended to $(8 - 40) R_D$



Circular velocities from spectroscopy

- Optical emission lines (H α , Na)
- Neutral hydrogen (HI)-carbon monoxide (CO)





ROTATION CURVES

artist impression



Evidence for a Mass Discrepancy in Galaxies

The distribution of gravitating matter, unlike the luminous one, is luminosity dependent.



Tully-Fisher relation exists at local level (radii R_i)

Rotation Curves



The Cosmic Variance of V measured in galaxies of same luminosity L at the same radius $x=R/R_D$ is negligible compared to the variations that V shows as x and L varie.

The Universal Rotation Curve

The Concept of the Universal Rotation Curve (URC) Every RC can be represented by: $V(x,L) = R/R_{D}$

Movie at: people.sissa.it/~salucci/DMAW2010/IMG_014.MOV

From data to mass models

MASS MODELLING

Dark Halo Scaling Laws in Spirals

Relationships between halo structural parameters (ρ_0, r_0) and luminosity by mass modelling individual galaxies

The halo central surface density $\rho_0 r_0$: constant in Spirals

The distribution of DM around spirals

Individual galaxies objects

Gentile+ 2004, de Blok+ 2008 Kuzio de Naray+ 2008, Oh+ 2008, Spano+ 2008, Trachternach+ 2008, Donato+,2009

NOTE: Tri-axiality and non-circular motions cannot explain the CDM/NFW cusp/core discrepancy

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ELLIPTICALS Where hungry monsters lurk among the stars

The Stellar Spheroid

Surface brightness of ellipticals follows a Sersic (de Vaucouleurs) law

$$I(R) = I_e e^{-b_n [(R/R_e)^{1/n} - 1]}$$

 R_{e} : the radius enclosing half of the projected light.

By deprojecting I(R) we obtain the luminosity density j(r):

Modelling Ellipticals

Measure the light profile = stellar mass profile $(M_*/L)^{-1}$ Derive the total mass profile M(r) from:

Dispersion velocities of stars or of Planetary Nebulae

X-ray properties of the emitting hot gas

Disentangle M(r) into its dark and the stellar components

Gravity is balanced by pressure gradients -> Jeans Equation

Weak and strong lensing SLACS: Gavazzi et al. 2007)

strong lensing measures the total mass inside the Einstein ring

Inside R_{Einst} the total (spheroid + dark halo) mass increase proportionally with radius

Inside R_{Einst} the total the fraction of dark matter is small

DM distribution is cored

Mass Profiles from X-ray

Nigishita et al 2009

DM profile from spiral's satellites

Rai 3

Yegorova et ali, 2011,

primaries - satellites

1.5 - 2 satellites per host galaxy

•Zaritsky (1993): 45 primaries – 69 satellites Kitt Peak 2.3 m •Sales & Lambas (2004): 1498 primaries – 3079 sate 2dFGRS 3.9 m •Breinerd (2004) 3 samples: 1351 primaries – 2084 sate SDSS 2.5 m 948 primaries – 1294 sate 400 primaries – 658 sate

Bailin et al. (2008): 273 primaries – 321 satellites SDSS 2.5 m

SDSS J154040.56-000933.5 z=0.078

VIMOS

Satellites

Rotation curve

We are studying 8 isolated spiral galaxies

at z = 0.03 - 0.09

Surface density of satellites around 8 primaries

averaged circular velocity

Mass profiles from weak lensing A ray into the darkness...

Lensing equation for the tangential shear

 $\frac{c^2}{4\pi G} \frac{D_{\rm os}}{D_{\rm ol} D_{\rm ls}}$

 $R = \theta D_{ol}$

MODELLING WEAK LENSING SIGNALS

Halo masses exceed the masses in baryons by much more than the cosmological factor of 7.

AGREEMENT WITH THE URC

HINTS FOR CUSPS **INNER: OUTER: NFW/BURKERT PROFILE**

Halo and baryonic masses correlate

THE GALAXY The perfect hideout for dark stuff

dSphs the dark side strikes back

Dwarf spheroidals: basic properties

The smallest objects in the Universe, benchmark for theory $L = 2 \times 10^3 L_{\odot} - 2 \times 10^7 L_{\odot}$ $\sigma_0 \sim 7 - 12 \,\mathrm{km \, s^{-1}}$ $r_0 \approx 130 - 500 \,\mathrm{pc}$

Luminosities and sizes of Globular Clusters and dSph are different

dSph show

large M_{grav}/L

Gilmore et al 2009

Mass profiles of dSphs

$$M(r) = -\frac{r^2}{G} \left(\frac{1}{\nu} \frac{\mathrm{d}\,\nu\sigma_r^2}{\mathrm{d}\,r} + 2\,\frac{\beta\sigma_r^2}{r} \right)$$

Jeans' models provide the most objective sample comparison

Jeans equation relates kinematics, light and underlying mass distribution

Make assumptions on the velocity anisotropy and then fit the dispersion profile

Gilmore et al 2007

Dispersion velocity profiles

dSph dispersion profiles generally remain flat to large radii

dSphs cored halo model

halo central densities correlate with core radius in the same way as Spirals and Ellipticals

$$\rho_0 = 10^{-23} \left(\frac{r_0}{1 \, kpc}\right)^{-1} g/cm^3$$

Salucci et et al 2012

GALAXY HALOS: AN UNIFIED VISION

Universal Mass Distribution

URC

Universal Density Profile

De Vega & Sanchez 2013: point forward

The de Broglie wavelength of DM particles in a galaxy can be estimated as

$$\lambda_{dB} = \frac{\hbar}{m \, \sigma} \; ,$$

while the average interparticle distance d can be estimated as

$$d = \left(\frac{m}{\rho_h}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

where ρ_h is the average density in the galaxy core. By using $\rho_h = \sigma^3 Q_h$ can express the ratio

$$\mathcal{R} \equiv \frac{\lambda_{dE}}{d}$$

as,

$$\mathcal{R} = \hbar \left(\frac{Q_h}{m^4}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} .$$

Using now the observed values of Q_h
$$2 \times 10^{-3} < \mathcal{R} \left(\frac{m}{\text{keV}}\right)^{\frac{4}{3}} < 1.4$$

Notice that here as well as in the bound eq.(13) $\hbar^3 Q/m^4$ measures how quantum or classical is the system (the galaxy).

We conclude **solely from observations** that compact dwarf galaxies are natural macroscopic quantum objects for WDM.

Dwarf Galaxies supported by WDM fermionic quantum pressure

For an order–of–magnitude estimate, let us consider a halo of mass M and radius R of fermionic matter. It can be fermionic DM or baryons. Each fermion can be considered inside a cell of size $\Delta x \sim 1/n^{\frac{1}{3}}$ and therefore has a momentum

$$p \sim \frac{\hbar}{\Delta x} \sim \hbar n^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

The associated quantum pressure P_q (flux of the momentum) has the value

$$P_q = n \sigma p \sim \hbar \sigma n^{\frac{4}{3}} = \frac{\hbar^2}{m} n^{\frac{5}{3}}$$

where σ is the mean velocity

$$\sigma = \frac{p}{m} = \frac{\hbar}{m} n^{\frac{1}{3}} .$$

The system will be in dynamical equilibrium if this quantum pressure is balanced by the gravitaional pressure

$$P_G$$
 = gravitational force/area = $\frac{G M^2}{R^2} \times \frac{1}{4 \pi R^2}$

We estimate the number density as

$$n=\frac{M}{\frac{4}{3}\pi R^3 m},$$

and we use that $p = m \sigma$ to obtain

$$P_q = \frac{\hbar^2}{m R^5} \left(\frac{3 M}{4 \pi m}\right)^{\frac{5}{3}}$$

Equating $P_q = P_G$ yields the following relations

$$R = \frac{3^{\frac{5}{3}}}{(4\pi)^{\frac{2}{3}}} \frac{\hbar^2}{G m^{\frac{8}{3}} M^{\frac{1}{3}}} = 10.6 \dots \operatorname{pc} \left(\frac{10^6 M_{\odot}}{M}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \left(\frac{\operatorname{keV}}{m}\right)^{\frac{5}{3}}$$
$$\sigma = \left(\frac{4\pi}{81}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{G}{\hbar} m^{\frac{4}{3}} M^{\frac{2}{3}} = 22.9 \dots \frac{\operatorname{km}}{\operatorname{s}} \left(\frac{m}{\operatorname{keV}}\right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \left(\frac{M}{10^6 M_{\odot}}\right)^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

Notice that the values of M, R and σ are consistent with dwarf galaxies. Namely, for M of the order $10^6 M_{\odot}$ (typical mass value for dwarf spheroidal galaxies), R and σ have the correct order of magnitude for dwarf spheroidal galaxies for a WDM particles mass in the keV scale (see Table

CONCLUSIONS

The distribution of DM in halos around galaxies shows a striking and complex phenomenology leading to a non trivial cosmological setting.

The nature of dark matter is decisive to understand intricate galaxy formation process